

Sunshine Rare Coins Newsletter

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## **Sunshine Rare Coins Email Newsletter #7 Summer 2018 Edition!**

Welcome to my July email newsletter. I hope you are having a wonderful Summer! Since my last newsletter, I have been busy buying and selling coins, including at the recent PCGS Members Only and Summer Baltimore shows.

### **PCGS Members Only Show Report**

The PCGS Members Only show was held in a great location - Harrah's Casino in downtown New Orleans. PCGS does a great job putting on the show and it was a nice contrast from a large major show with hundreds of dealers. There was a intimate feel with about 30 tables - most of them being bigger

dealers. It was my first time going to NOLA. Upon check in, Harrah's upgraded me to a 750 square foot Suite with a beautiful view of the Mississippi River. The show was even better than the Fall 2017 PCGS show in Philadelphia. I picked up some very cool NEWPS, and sales were strong. Legend had a great auction, with a variety of quality coins and fresh collections. I really like their smaller boutique auctions, with handpicked, quality coins. I am planning on going to the PCGS Members Only show in San Antonio in November.

### **Sotheby's Ralph Stone Collection**

The day after I got home from the PCGS Members Only show, I drove into New York City to lot view a very special collection. Sotheby's was selling an old time collection formed by Ralph Stone who passed away in 1997. The highlight of the auction was an amazing set of Morgan Dollars. Even though I don't deal much in Morgans, all of the coins were fresh, and every coin in the collection was housed in PCGS or NGC old holders. There were also great examples of Three Cent silvers, Silver and Gold type coins, Silver commemoratives, along with an original 5 piece Panama Pacific Set with box. Most of the coins were conservatively graded, and likely have been cracked out of the original holders for upgrading. Unfortunately I wasn't able to buy any coins for inventory. The coins sold for record prices, with a wonderful 1893 S Morgan Dollar in PCGS MS-65 CAC OGH selling for \$735,000. My personal favorite coin, an incredible rattler 1890 half dollar in PCGS MS-66 CAC sold for an amazing \$18,750!

### **Summer Baltimore Show Report**

I always enjoy going to the Baltimore show, as it is convenient for me to get to and it is always a solid show. The Summer show is around half the size of the Spring and Fall shows, and is usually not as well attended. This year the show was scheduled back to back with the Long Beach Expo, which was the week before. I think that the Baltimore show was hurt by

this decision. There was low floor traffic at the show, with lots of empty tables, even on Friday. However, I had a solid show. Sales were good, and I moved some older inventory to make room for some great coins for the website that I bought at the show.

My next major show I will be attending is the August ANA World's Fair of Money show in Philadelphia. As the biggest show of the year, I expect it to be very active with numerous auctions and a large bourse floor. Stacks will be selling the finest 1913 Liberty Nickel graded PCGS PR-66 CAC, and Heritage will be selling a newly discovered 1854 S Half Eagle graded NGC XF-45 - one of only 4 known, along with a 1794 dollar in NGC AU-58 CAC. There hasn't been a ANA show on the East Coast for a long time and this show has been highly anticipated by many people. I will be there close to a full week with a packed schedule. I always seem to find some fresh material on the bourse floor.

Please keep checking the website in the next few weeks because I add new coins frequently. If you are looking to sell quality Bust or Seated coins or have anything that you might want to consign to me - please contact me. Also, please let me know if you have any coins on your want list that I can help you find - not all of my coins make the website. I have a growing number of collectors who give me want lists so I can help them find that special coin.

I also set up at the Parsippany, NJ Show almost every month. It's the first Sunday of the month and it's always a fun one day local show with good public attendance.

I have just added a large group of choice NEWPS to the website from the Summer Baltimore show including some premium quality Bust and Seated coins across all price ranges.

Please visit my website below to see my full inventory, and email me at [davidbsunshine@yahoo.com](mailto:davidbsunshine@yahoo.com) if you see anything of

interest.

[http://www.sunshinecoins.com/store/c1/Featured\\_Products.html](http://www.sunshinecoins.com/store/c1/Featured_Products.html)

Thanks,

David Sunshine

Some recent NEWPS since the  
Summer Baltimore Show









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## **Featured Coins From the Summer Baltimore Show**



**1838 Seated Half Dime No Drapery,  
Large Stars PCGS MS-66 CAC Toned**



**1829 Bust Dime Small/Large 10C  
JR-9 R-4 PCGS MS-64 Rattler Holder**



1821 Bust Quarter B-3 PCGS AU-58+  
CAC



1862 S Seated Quarter PCGS MS-62  
CAC Rare!



1811/10 Bust Half Dollar O-101 PCGS  
AU-58 CAC



1862 Seated Dollar PCGS MS-63

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1809 Bust Dime PCGS XF-45 - \$3500

1904 S Barber Dime PCGS AU-55 CAC - \$450

1832 Bust Quarter PCGS XF-45 CAC Toned Ex. Reiver – Marx - \$550

1813 Bust Half Dollar 50C/UNI O-101 NGC XF-45 CAC - \$1000

1846 O Seated Half Dollar Tall Date PCGS VF-30 CAC - \$1000

1915 D Barber Half Dollar PCGS AU-53 CAC - \$250

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